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## CYCLONE IN KANSAS.

Wellington, the County Seat of Sumner County in Ruins.

### OVER FIFTY PEOPLE KILLED.

Hundreds of Others Injured Many of Whom May Die—The Full Extent of the Destruction Unknown—Names of Some of the Victims.

WELLINGTON, Kan., May 28.—Wellington was struck by a terrible cyclone yesterday evening and the entire northern portion of the city was destroyed. About fifty people were killed and 125 injured, but the confusion is so great that the exact loss of life can not be stated definitely.

Among the dead are:  
Mrs. W. M. Sashen.  
Kittie Strahn.  
X. Silva.  
Walter Forsythe.  
Ida Jones.

The Wellington hotel and the Phillips House, the two largest hotels in the city, were completely wrecked and the ruins of the Phillips House took fire. Many of the guests were doubtless burned to death.

A heavy storm of wind and rain preceded the cyclone about half an hour. A few minutes after 9 o'clock the cyclone struck the city, coming from the southwest. There were no premonitory signs. Everybody was indoors, and the cloud passed with its destructive rush and awful roar unseen.

Ocean Scene, the principal business street, is in ruins on both sides for blocks. To add to the horror, fire broke out among the debris of Colonel Robinson's block, and a woman, Mrs. Susan Asher, is supposed to have perished in the flames.

The Monitor Press and Voice printing office lies a tumbled heap of bricks and mortar. Just across the street a laborer, named Fanning, was taken out of the ruins dead and there are supposed to be other bodies in the ruins.

Hundreds of dwellings are either totally destroyed or more or less damaged. The city is in darkness as broken mains made it necessary to shut down the gas works and save destruction from fire.

Hon. James Lawrence, candidate for attorney general, had his arm broken.

Walter Forsythe was taken from the ruins dangerously wounded and his brother Ed was talking for an hour before his release.

Several bodies have been taken out of the Phillips House ruins, and a large force of men are hard at work removing the debris. Two members of the Salvation Army are expected to die from injuries received.

At Squire Smith's residence seven persons are more or less injured. The streets are littered with tin roofing, cloth awnings, broken glass and timbers. Everybody is on the streets, and it is utterly impossible to get at the facts. The destruction is simply awful, and every minute adds to the horror of the situation.

The Standard and Mail offices are wrecked. The opera house and dozens of the best business buildings are useless. Fine school buildings and churches are ruined, and the loss will foot up into many thousands of dollars. No reports have been received from other points.

Wellington is the county seat of Sumner county, and has a population of over 10,000 inhabitants. It is in the center of a thickly settled agricultural district. It is the most prominent town in southern Kansas.

The storm came from the southwest and beyond the demolishing of a few residences did no material damage until Jefferson avenue was reached. Here the Lutheran church was totally destroyed. Then it continued eastward raising every building in the two blocks bounded by Jefferson avenue, Sixth, Seventh and Ninth streets.

Mrs. Sashen and Mrs. Strashen were sisters. They were killed by the collapse of Sashen & Kirk's carriage factory, and their bodies are in the burning ruins of that structure.

Silva and Walter Forsythe received fatal injuries in Conrad's restaurant. Ida Jones was a dining room girl in the Phillips House, and was instantly killed. Her body was the first to be taken from the ruins of that building.

Grand Army hall has been converted into a hospital, and hundreds are now employed in the work of carrying the dead and injured to places of safety.

Rev. MacQuary Again.

CANTON, May 28.—Rev. Howard MacQuary writes from Saginaw, Mich., denying printed stories that there has been a disagreement between him and the Universalist church, with which he is now identified, over the question of evolution. He says there is no truth in the statement, and that the reports arose from a misinterpretation of a friendly discussion between MacQuary and the editor of a Universalist church paper.

Immigrants with Smallpox.

COLUMBUS, O., May 28.—Dr. Probst, secretary of the state board of health, has received word from the commissioner of immigration at New York that a lot of immigrants destined for points in Ohio arrived May 28 on the Aurania, which had a case of smallpox on board. Two are headed for Cincinnati, namely, Patrick Breen and F. L. Lenchouiller.

## THE BLAINE BOOM.

A Number of Prominent Politicians Interviewed on the Situation.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The Blaine feeling which has been expressed with a mixture of hope and fear for the past week by his many supporters, who have been congregating in this city, took a decided turn toward optimism last night.

Senator Pettigrew, of South Dakota, a delegate to Minneapolis, was cautious and guarded in his statements when he arrived here the other day, but he has now evidently got his bearings and is prepared to speak by the card. Said he last night: "Confidentially I believe that Blaine will be nominated on the first ballot. I see nothing to prevent it. In the section of the west from which I come, there are only four state delegations instructed for Harrison. My own state delegation will cast its first vote for Blaine. He will get eighteen votes out of the forty-eight delegates in Illinois, all but two of the six votes in North Dakota, and one-half of the Minnesota delegation. Montana will give him her six votes. California, with her eighteen votes, will go to him with a rush, and the other states will follow suit."

James M. Ashley, president of the Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan railroad, who has already announced his intention to do his utmost for Blaine, said last night that the Pacific slope should have a place on the ticket. He thought that Blaine and Estee would sweep the country.

J. Sloat Fassett was asked what he thought of the ticket as given above. He replied: "Mr. Estee is a good man and it would seem to me that the Pacific coast ought to get what it wants, if its demands are reasonable. But I understand that Mr. Estee was not a soldier and the candidate for vice president must be a western man and a soldier."

"General Alger is both a soldier and a western man," replied Mr. Fassett. "He is popular, and I have a very high opinion of him. Whether he will be the candidate or not I cannot say."

"You are reported to have said today that the person who is nominated is the man who gets 451 votes. You have seen Mr. Blaine today. Are you prepared to say that Mr. Blaine would accept if he received just 451 votes?"

"Well, really, I did not ask Mr. Blaine that question, but I do not think he would accept under those conditions."

Considerable interest was manifested in the arrival of General J. S. Clarkson, who was expected to reach this city on the congressional limited with news of importance from Washington. Ex-Senator Platt went to the Palace hotel to meet him, but learned that he would not arrive until after midnight.

Secretary Blaine, who was expected to arrive in Washington last night, did not leave the city. He remained in his rooms at the Fifth Avenue hotel all evening and had, as a caller, Mr. Platt, who remained with him some time. After his visit to the secretary, Mr. Platt said: "I understand that Mr. Blaine will leave for Washington Saturday evening. There is no significance in his going to Washington. All reports about his abandoning his intention of going to Bar Harbor are rot, as he never had the faintest idea of going there in the first place."

### TOOK DESPERATE CHANCES.

A Prisoner Leaps From a Train Running Thirty Miles an Hour.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.—James Walker was arrested in this city some weeks ago for counterfeiting and transferred to the Noblesville jail. His trial was to take place yesterday, and a deputy sheriff started from Noblesville with him for this city. Just after the train passed Howland station and was nearing the city, Walker asked a passenger who sat near him if they were in the city. The passenger said they were. Without another word Walker leaped from his seat and made a rush for the door. It was then seen that one of his hands was freed from the handcuffs. Reaching the platform he did not hesitate, though the train was running thirty miles an hour, but jumped as far as he could. Those who saw the performance say he fell with terrible force on his face, and lay as if dead a moment. Then he rose and ran.

Sheriff Nagle jerked the bellrope and as soon as the train slackened speed leaped off and, accompanied by the other prisoner, Slaughter, started in pursuit. This would have probably been hopeless had not Leonard Brown, of Howland station, been close at hand in his road car. He saw the prisoner running, and taking the sheriff into the car the horse was urged into a run. At the end of a mile Walker was exhausted and unable to make any resistance, and was taken into the car and fastened there with straps. His face was fearfully cut and bruised, and blood trickled down his chin and neck. He was then brought to this city, but his trial had to be postponed on account of his injuries.

### EXTENT OF THE FLOOD.

The Story of Destruction in Arkansas Not Half Told.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., May 28.—The story of the flood, suffering and destruction in the valleys of the White and Arkansas rivers has not been half told. There is not a thousand acres of dry soil left in Desha county. The towns of Hollendell, Chicot City, Red Fork and Pendleton have been wiped off the earth, and not a living building is at any of them.

All the inhabitants have been rescued and are now on high grounds, but they are actually starving, so difficult of access are they to the relief steamers. Nearly all of the big plantations in the Arkansas valley are utterly ruined.

NILES, O., May 28.—A Pittsburg and Western railroad freight train was wrecked here yesterday. James McFarland, of Girard, was instantly killed, and John Jones mortally injured.

## CABLE CULLINGS.

News of the Old World of Interest Over Here.

LONDON, May 28.—The ballot of the Durham miners yesterday shows a large majority against accepting the terms of the coal operators of a reduction of 13 1-2 per cent. The miners are willing to take a 10 per cent. reduction, but they believe that the masters in demanding a greater reduction are trying to take advantage of the situation of the miners, and to make them accept terms that under other circumstances would not be suggested.

Another appeal has been made to coal owners and others throughout the country to sustain the Durham strikers, and the miners have been much encouraged by the communications that have come in during the past few days.

### Steamer Wrecked.

LONDON, May 28.—News has been received from West Africa to the effect that the steamer Port Douglas, bound from London to Australia, ran ashore off the Cape Verde islands, and will probably be a total loss. A schooner which went to her relief could do nothing toward floating her. The schooner took the passengers and baggage on board, intending to land it at Dakar, but it was afterward lost. When the passengers, who were taken off by another vessel, were landed, they were in a destitute condition.

### Slave Traders to Be Hanged.

BERLIN, May 28.—A dispatch is published by the Berliner Tageblatt from Zambar, stating that Judge Sonnenstein has sentenced seventeen Arab slave traders to be hanged for holding a slave market at Lindi within the German East African protectorate.

### The Crew Saved.

LONDON, May 28.—The steamship Harley, of London, has been wrecked off the coast of Cornwall. The Harley was running too close to a dangerous shore and suddenly came to grief on a submerged rock. The lives of the crew were saved.

### Failed for Over a Million.

ANTWERP, May 28.—Pecher & Company have failed with liabilities of \$1,250,000. The failure which is attributed to the decline in rates of Brazilian exchange, has caused considerable excitement in financial circles.

### Largest Freight Steamship Afloat.

LONDON, May 28.—The largest freight steamship was launched to-day at Belfast. She is the White Star steamship Maronic, 470 feet long, 53 feet broad, and of 6,000 tons. She will be used in the cattle trade.

### It Was Not True.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 28.—The report of a discovery of a nihilist plot to assassinate the czar and the story that the Gatchina palace had been undermined by nihilists who proposed to blow it up have been officially denied.

### Colonial Stores Burned.

ROTTERDAM, May 28.—The Seyenoud colonial stores have been destroyed by fire. The damage is equivalent to about \$200,000.

### DYNAMITE BOMB FACTORY.

Some Sensational Discoveries Made by Philadelphia Police.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Albert Hoffman, of 1200 Tree street, was arraigned before Magistrate Pole yesterday afternoon, charged with manufacturing dynamite bombs for the purpose of destroying the property of the Lippincott Manufacturing company, where he was employed.

Some time ago Hoffman rented apartments in the house of Ferdinand Schenck, 1321 Cherry street, and among the articles he brought there was a large satchel, which he instructed Schenck to be extremely cautious in handling, as it contained explosives and glass. After moving in Hoffman fell while working at Lippincott's and broke his arm. This confined him to his rooms, and when there his actions were suspicious.

Mr. Schenck found that his tenant had in his room a quantity of gunpowder, balls and dynamite. He questioned Hoffman as to what purpose he was going to apply these deadly articles, and was informed that they were to be used in blowing up his boss and foreman. It appears that Hoffman claims that he had not been fairly treated by his employers. Schenck caused a warrant to be issued for Hoffman's arrest, and when Special Officer Nevins went to serve it, he found that the explosives had been removed.

At the hearing Hoffman admitted that he was a member of a socialistic organization and that he had removed the dynamite to his house on Tree street. The prisoner was held in \$1,000 bail for a further hearing.

Immediately after the hearing, a search was issued for the premises at 1200 Tree street and thither Special Nevins and Detective McKenty repaired. Within Hoffman's room was found a choice collection of materials for the manufacture of bombs. There were hollow brass balls, pieces of lead pipe, plugged at both ends with wooden plugs, several large bags of shot, a lot of gunpowder, and a mysterious looking tin valise, containing a lot of bottles filled with liquids, the nature of which has not yet been ascertained. There were also found a cartload of brass bolts, nuts, etc., stolen from Lippincott's factory.

A thorough search of the alleys in the neighborhood failed to reveal the whereabouts of the mysterious valise. The officers promise some further developments to show the extensive anarchist plots when Hoffman's accomplices are unearthed.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., May 28.—In the suit brought by Stuart Jones against the Evansville and Richmond Railway company, a jury yesterday awarded plaintiff \$4,000 damages. He was injured by the wrecking of a construction train near Indian Springs.

## WAR IN VENEZUELA.

Recent Reports of a Revolution There Confirmed.

### A TERRIBLE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Frequent Engagements Have Taken Place Within the Last Two Weeks. Dynamite Outrages of Daily Occurrence—A Reign of Plunder Existing All Over the Country.

PANAMA, May 28.—The officers of a steamship which has just arrived here from LaGnaya, confirm the worst of the recent reports as to the anarchistic condition of Venezuela and give news of repeated dynamite outrages, which have spread terror among the citizens of the capital. Frequent engagements have taken place within the last two weeks, but the combatants have been only small bands of government troops and gangs of raiders who call themselves revolutionists. Several score of wounded have been brought to Caracas, but the government reports, nevertheless, that its troops have been victorious in every engagement.

General Crespo's challenge to Casanas to bring his army in the open field and settle the question of supremacy once for all so as to relieve the sufferings of the people, has won him many friends, as the government's persistent prolongation of the trouble is generally considered to be due to Palacio's indifference to the welfare of the country. Casanas, after refusing to meet Crespo, returned to Caracas and resigned his offices as Palacio's physician, chief adviser and commander of the army. Palacio suspects treachery and committed him to prison.

The state of general intimidation in the capital for the last two weeks has been unprecedented. Carloads of prisoners have been brought in from LaGnaya and other cities in the hands of the government and have been marched in chains through the streets as warnings to local disloyalists. The prisons already are full of men arrested in Caracas, and private houses have been seized and turned into prisons to receive the suspects from other cities. All are confined without trial and after a merely superficial examination in camera. Hardly a night passes without a raid by Palacio's soldiers on the families of private citizens. The houses are searched, the plate and money seized and the men are led off to prison.

Three explosions of dynamite within the last two weeks have increased the apprehensions of all residents of the country, and have given the government excuses for arresting many innocent men. On May 13 a bomb was exploded in the entry way of the Military academy. The door leading into the first lecture room was blown in, and two calets and an officer were killed by flying metal and splinters. Several others were injured. Three men and two women, passing the building at the time of the explosion, were also injured. The whole vicinity around the academy was shaken, and the report got abroad that Crespo was before the city, and had begun the bombardment. The streets were filled with frightened men and women. The military was called out, and for two hours panic and the wildest apprehension prevailed throughout the city. Four days later a shanty on the outskirts of the city was blown up and one man was injured. He is supposed to be a government spy.

Another explosion on the following night shattered the windows of the houses near the cathedral but nobody was injured. Palacio attributes the outrages to Crespists, who are intent upon inaugurating in the city the reign of plunder now supreme in the country. The Crespists say that the explosion was caused by the government's agents who wish to discredit the revolutionists as did Balmaceda. The general belief is, however, that the explosions are the work of irresponsible and ill-advised Crespists who hope to frighten Palacio and his advisers into fleeing from the city. Rumors that the palace will be blown up were thick when the steamship sailed and the government claims to have suppressed one such plot by arresting a group of Crespist dynamiters.

The present position of Crespo's troops is not known. The government has no information as to his next move, but is busy spreading the report that the supplies and ammunition of the revolutionists are exhausted and that they are on the verge of disbanding.

The condition of the rural districts is miserable beyond description. Raiders have completely intimidated and impoverished most of the rural population. Women and girls are being kidnaped nightly and reports of murders are received almost constantly in Caracas and LaGuayra. The farmers have been robbed of their money and their cattle and those who have defended themselves against the plunderers have been punished by the burning of their houses and sheds.

No effort is made to cultivate the fields, as no man can be sure of harvesting his crops or of keeping them if they are allowed to mature. Work in the factories is at a standstill as the men can not be relied on to attend to their duties. Commercially the country is dead, as the merchants have either fled or have hidden their money.

### Four Children Drowned.

PITTSBURG, May 28.—Shortly after 9 o'clock last night word was received at the morgue that four children were drowned in Chartiers creek, near Woodville, about ten miles below this city. The only particulars obtained were that six children, the eldest eight years, were on a raft fishing, when in some manner the raft upset and they were thrown in the creek, which is now running high, and four were drowned. The coroner will investigate.



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### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Election, November, 1892.

For Circuit Clerk,  
ISAAC WOODWARD.  
For Sheriff,  
J. C. JEFFERSON.

### WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For Kentucky, generally fair; warmer by Sunday morning; variable winds.

EDITOR BLAKLEY, of Newport, is still shouting for Carlisle. Most anybody ought to know when a brick house falls on him.

HON. J. SLOAT FASSETT says without Blaine to lead them, the Republicans have got to "fight hard, very hard" for New York. No matter whom they nominate, it's not going to be a picnic excursion for them.

THE popularity of Hon. W. C. Owens, of Scott County, was demonstrated at the State Democratic convention this week. In a field with such men as McKenzie, Lindsey, &c., he received the highest number of votes cast for delegates from the State-at-large to the National convention. Keep one eye on Owens.

THE Cincinnati Enquirer was the first paper in all this land, we believe, to announce a few days ago that Mr. Blaine would accept the nomination for the Presidency. Developments since then show that the tip was straight. When it comes to giving the news, the Enquirer is always a little ahead of all its contemporaries.

THE McKinley bill increased the duty on pearl buttons to 300 per cent. The duty, you know, according to Republican claims is put on to "protect" the manufacturer and enable him to pay high wages. What has been its result? The employes of a pearl button factory at Detroit are on a strike because their wages have been reduced. They formerly earned \$3.50 a week, now they are offered only \$3. That's how the McKinley tariff works.

### GRENA GREEN NEWS.

Personals and Other Items of Interest Penned by Our Aberdeen Correspondent.

A. W. Wood, of Concord, was in town a few days since.

Miss Lottie Wilson has gone on a visit to her sister at Gallatin, Tenn.

Mrs. Kate Miller and son, Ulric, have returned from a visit to Kentucky friends.

Uncle Joe Hartman and son Mat, who are at work in Ashland, have been down on a visit.

J. P. Purdon returned from Columbus Friday. He was attending the convocation of the K. of P.

Candidates are looming up thick. Three for Auditor were hand-shaking in our burg this week.

Sidney Herbert, who has been home on the sick list for a few days, has returned to his work at Cincinnati.

Johnny Williams and Richard Cotton, two old-time Aberdeen boys, are rustivating with their parents here.

O. B. Spears, one of our enterprising tobacco merchants, was on the breaks at Cincinnati a few days ago.

Several of our citizens attended the U. S. Court at Covington this week in the case of Wilson versus Maysville Street Railway.

M. Y. Smith, of Louisville, spent a few days with the homefolks the past week. Mart is re-handling tobacco at the Falls City.

Farewell, Greneta. The Greneta Green made her first trip as a ferryboat Sunday, October, 1875, and her last trip was made Sunday, May 22, 1892, nearly a period of sixteen years. During the time there was only one life lost on her, namely: Joseph Bird, a colored barber, who fell off at Logan's Gap, while on an excursion. The accident was due to his own carelessness. She has been a good and faithful boat, and we see her wrooked and consigned to the boneyard with regret.

LIMESTONE LODGE No. 536, K. of P., elected officers last night for the ensuing term. Following is the list:

C. C.—B. L. Pearce.  
V. C.—D. P. Ort.  
Prelate—George H. Martin.  
M. at A.—J. C. Hains.

Mr. H. Ficklin was chosen Trustee for eighteen months. Messrs. H. Ficklin, C. D. Newell and T. M. Pearce were elected representatives to the Grand Lodge.

### Real Estate Transfers.

John J. Thomas and wife, to the trustees of Dover, 4 acres of land; consideration, \$1,000.

### When Traveling,

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cents and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists.

## DOWN TO BUSINESS.

The Legislature Does a Big Day's Work—September 1st to Be Made a Holiday.

The Legislature resumed business at the old stand yesterday, and the House transacted more business than usual.

The bill on holidays was amended so as to make the first Monday in September a holiday. It is to be known as "Labor Day." The bill as amended was passed.

The Senate bill on insolvent debtors was also passed.

Mr. McInerney's bill to prevent railroads from employing inexperienced engineers was postponed in order to give some of the railroad men a chance to be heard on it.

The bill relating to claims upon the treasury was passed, after some amendments had been adopted. One of these abolished the office of tipstaff of the Court of Appeals.

Mr. Gardner's bill prohibiting the sale of oleomargarine under any other than its own name, and prohibiting its use in asylums and charitable institutions, was passed by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Pettit introduced a resolution raising the point that the law passed at the last session of the General Assembly, which increased the salaries of Circuit Judges \$600, was passed illegally, and that amounts for this and other purposes are being drawn from the treasury illegally, and directing the Judiciary Committee to investigate the matter. The general ground of illegality alleged by Mr. Pettit is that the yeas and nays were not called for as demanded. The resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Internal Improvements reported favorably Mr. Gough's bill to enable counties to work upon their public roads able-bodied delinquents who fail to pay the poll tax.

A bill was introduced to abolish the office of Register of Lands.

In the Senate, Judge Wall, who succeeds Senator Poyntz, was sworn in and appointed on all the committees upon which his predecessor had served. The Senate did nothing beyond the reading of several bills.

### Ice.

Any one wishing ice will please leave their order with us. The wagon will call every morning. WATKINS & WEIAND.

On her last trip down, the steamer Henry M. Stanley received 31 hogsheds of tobacco, 31 calves, 10,000 feet of lumber, 10,000 staves and 20 passengers at Rome.

The Bee Hive places 300 challie and batiste dress patterns on sale to-day, for 35 cents a pattern. Also a lot of spring jackets which are big bargains. See advertisement.

"BLUE SHOVEL" MORRIS was put to cracking the fossilized strata of the Silurian epoch, when he reached the Cincinnati workhouse. A suggestion that he had worked three years at the blacksmith trade met the response that indoor work was given to old and infirm prisoners, and, besides, they had all the blacksmith help they needed.—Georgetown News-Democrat.

Owing to the lecture to be given at the Christian Church on Friday evening, June 3rd, for the benefit of Y. P. S. C. E., the "Elsie Dinsmore" entertainment to be given by the young ladies of the Central Presbyterian Church will take place at the court house on Wednesday evening, June 1st, instead of on the 3rd as previously announced. As this entertainment will be especially attractive to the young it is hoped that they will turn out in large numbers.

The barbecue announced for next Wednesday at Lexington is not to be a free for all. The managers have failed to interest the business men of Lexington and but few subscriptions have been received. The Board of Magistrates of Fayette refused to donate any money for the purpose of entertaining the visitors, so that stangers should go prepared to pay their own expenses. It is probably the first time in Lexington's history that she has failed to do the handsome thing to strangers within her gates.

DR. A. C. KEMPER has sued Dr. W. W. Dawson at Cincinnati for \$2,000 damages. Their property adjoins, and Dr. Kemper was enjoined a few days ago from boarding up some windows in the wall separating their buildings. He alleges that he, and not Dr. Dawson, is the owner of the wall, and that these windows have been used by persons in Dr. Dawson's house to observe what is transpiring in his consultation room, into which the windows open. The paint on the glass has been scratched off, for the purposes, as alleged by Dr. Kemper, of affording peep-holes. Some of his patients have learned of this, and refused to submit to examination on that account. He claims to have been injured in his practice in the sum of \$2,000, and asks judgment against Dr. Dawson in that amount. It is not claimed that Dr. Dawson or any of his family had anything to do with the matter.

## PURELY PERSONAL.

Mr. Stockton Wood was in Paris Thursday.

Mr. Stanley Nolin, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Nolin.

Senator Wall came in from Frankfort last evening to attend to some business matters.

Mr. H. C. Bierbower, of Maysville, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday.—Paris News.

Mr. A. Schaeffer, Superintendent of the water company, is in Washington City on business.

Miss May Marshall will be the guest of Miss Iva Dee Allen, of Millersburg, during commencement week.

Mr. F. M. Young, of Mt. Olivet, was down yesterday on a visit to his old home and attending to some business.

Mr. Will Bridwell, of Millersburg, and Mr. Elmer Bridwell, of Flat Rock, were the guests of Mr. George Oldham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gallagher, of Cincinnati, are spending a few days in this city. They are the guests of Mrs. Hal Gray.

Mrs. Fannie Gibbons Crouch, of Taylor, Tex., is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Holton. She will spend some time in this city and county.

Misses Maggie Duke Watson, Willie Watson and Florence Rogers are spending a few days with Mrs. W. R. Gill, of Washington.

Dr. J. A. Metcalfe and family, of Azusa, Cal., arrived last evening on a visit to Mrs. Metcalfe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, of Washington, and other relatives.

### Hayswood Female Seminary.

The current school year of Hayswood closes June 9th. Owing to the fact that the course of study in the institution has been lengthened one year there will be no graduating class this year, and all the closing exercises will be held in the chapel of the Seminary. Friday, June 3rd, will be devoted to a public oral examination of the classes. Tuesday evening, June 7th, the annual exhibit of the art department will be made. Wednesday evening, June 8th, the primary department will give an entertainment to their parents and friends, consisting of recitations and singing. The exercises will close Thursday evening, June 9th, with a musical given by the members of the music class; the different numbers being interspersed with essays and recitations by the more advanced pupils of the school. All these exercises will be public and the patrons and friends of the Seminary are cordially invited to be present.

### Notice to Water Consumers.

In order to make some repairs on Limestone street, the water will be shut off this evening about 5 o'clock, for about three hours. Consumers will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

### COUNTY CULLINGS.

Items Picked Up By the Bulletin's Correspondents in Mason and Elsewhere.

### MT. OLIVET, ROBERTSON COUNTY.

We now have two candidates announced for Circuit Court Clerk—T. L. Green and Millard Chandler.

Dave Reveal and W. T. Kenton, present Sheriff and Deputy, have announced themselves candidates for re-election. It is expected there will be an opposition ticket.

Judge Charles Morford, at present Mayor of our town and editor of the Robertson Advance, was married in Sharpsburg, May 24th, to Miss Pearl Keener, of that place. The groom, accompanied by Elder Tharp, of the Carlisle Christian Church, and friends, Dr. McNew, Charley Word and Robert Buckler, of Mt. Olivet, drove from Carlisle Tuesday morning, arriving in Sharpsburg at 12 o'clock noon, where by a pre-arrangement dinner was in waiting at the hotel. Long before the hour was announced—1 o'clock p. m.—the little Baptist Church was crowded to its utmost, and it was impossible to accommodate all who had gathered to witness the ceremony, and from Sharpsburg's field of flowers—see plucked her fairest rose. The church was decorated with flowers, and as the rays of light darted forth from the chandeliers and reflected back from the stained window glass o'er Sharpbng's gay and fair daughters the Holy Temple seemed an Eden indeed. The bride and groom, preceded by the minister and ushers, while a beautiful wedding march was being played, filed down the aisle at 1:30 o'clock, and Elder Tharp proceeded, after paying an eloquent tribute to the recognition given the marital vows, to pronounce them man and wife. The bride was attired in a neat fitted dress traveling costume, and the groom looked his best in a black Prince Albert. They left at once for Cincinnati and Louisville, and will return to Mt. Olivet the latter part of the week. May fortune's smiles ever rest upon you, Charley, is the wish of your friends.

Best mixed paints at Greenwood's.

Geo. W. SULZER, law, fire insurance.

TORNADO policies—W. R. Warder, agt.

CALIFORNIA fruit, 15c. can—Callhoun's.

DULEY & BALDWIN insure against cyclones very cheap.

GREENWOOD's paint store has the latest in wall paper, the best mixed paints and the lowest prices on everything.

MRS. JACKSON received a fresh lot of groceries this morning. Your orders solicited. Store opposite Daulton & Bros.' stable.

DR. HALE's Household Ointment is effecting more wonderful cures than any remedy in the world. Ask Power & Reynolds about it.

THE Democrats of Bracken County are holding a primary election to-day to nominate a candidate for Circuit Clerk. A candidate for Sheriff will be selected later.

G. S. JUDD wants tornado insurance. On dwelling and business houses, one year at 25 cents.

On farm barns, one year at 50 cents. On one-third value, with good foundations. m16d1m

JAMES SHELL, of Adams County, Ohio, had a fine stock and grain barn destroyed by fire one night this week, together with four horses, his farming implements, buggy, wagon, &c. The loss amounts to \$1,500; insurance, \$400.

PARTIES having claims against the estate of the late C. S. Miner or against the firm of C. S. Miner & Bro. are asked to present them for payment. All persons indebted to the firm are notified to call and settle. See notice elsewhere.

ROBERT J. CASSIDY, a drug peddler, of Lexington, came to grief at Flemingsburg last court day. When asked to show his license, he tried to bluff the Constable with the statement that he was exempted by special act of the Legislature, as he was peddling articles made in this State. The ruling of the Court of Appeals declaring the act unconstitutional was pulled on him. That settled it, and he was very glad to get off by promising to do no more peddling at that place.

THE Keith-Schroeder Harness Company's business has outgrown the present quarters, and the company find it necessary to secure additional room for their factory. They have rented the third floor of Mr. Harry Taylor's business house, and have fitted it up for a number of workmen. They are way behind with their orders. Employment is given now to about twenty hands. THE BULLETIN is glad to note the success of this new enterprise.

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A piano. Apply at THIS OFFICE.

FOR RENT—The restaurant portion of Hill House. Also front rooms and flats. Apply at HILL HOUSE. m16d1m

### WE HAVE ALL THE

DELICACIES OF THE SEASON:

Fine, large Strawberries,  
Fresh Pineapples,  
Home-grown Beets,  
New Sweet Potatoes,  
Tender String Beans,  
Fine Fresh Peas,  
New Cabbage,  
Home-grown Cucumbers, large, Ripe Tomatoes  
Tender Asparagus and New Potatoes

We do not quote prices, but as usual, we are always lower than any one. Come and see us.

HILL & CO.,

THE LEADERS.

Morning  
Noon  
Night

Good all the time. It removes the languor of morning, sustains the energies of noon, lulls the weariness of night.

Hires' Root Beer

delicious, sparkling, appetizing.  
Don't be deceived if a dealer, for the sake of larger profit, tells you some other kind is "just as good"—it's false. No imitation is as good as the genuine Hires'.

### NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of C. S. Miner, deceased, are requested to verify and present same, together with any claims against the firm of C. S. Miner & Bro., to said firm for payment, and all persons indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle any balance in order to close up the estate of said decedent.

## THE

# Bee Hive

Will place on sale to-day,

THREE HUNDRED

CHALLIE AND BATISTE DRESS

PATTERNS,

Ten yards in each, for 35c. a pattern. They come in all colors and are extraordinary bargains. Come in soon, before the best are picked over.

WE HAVE ABOUT

ONE HUNDRED SPRING JACKETS

LEFT,

and to close them out quick we have reduced the prices of them one-third, and in many cases fully one-half. They are all this season's stock—new and stylish. This is a great opportunity for any one needing a new Spring Wrap.

ANOTHER LOT (50 dozen) of those Turkish Towels, 40 inches long, 10c. each.

ROSENAU BROS.,

Proprietors Bee Hive.

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Special Bargains:

Brussels Carpet 50c, worth 60 to 85c.

\$5 00 Lace Curtains.....\$3 00  
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Smyrna Rugs, 60c., worth \$1 00  
Smyrna Rugs, 2.50, worth 3 50  
Smyrna Rugs, 4.00, worth 6 00

Men's Pique Front Shirts, 75c., worth \$1.25.

Seamless Socks, samples, three pairs for 50c., cheap at 25c. per pair.

PAUL HOEFLICH & BRO.,

211 and 213 Market St.

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Staple and Fancy Groceries, Country Produce of All Kinds,

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Northwest Corner Third and Market Streets.

The season for Home-grown STRAWBERRIES is now at hand, and having arrangements, as usual, with the most successful fruit-growers, both in Lewis County, Ky., and Brown County, Ohio, for their entire crops, I will be able to fill all orders, both small and large, with the very finest fruit produced in the country. Also big stock of MASON FRUIT JARS, bought at extremely low figures, which I intend to sell, as I did last year, at lower prices than anybody. People from the country are invited to make my store headquarters. Goods delivered free.

A. SORRIES,

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Repairing of all kinds done promptly and on reasonable terms.



# THE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER OF THE PAST MONTH

HAS PREVENTED TRADE FROM COMING UP TO OUR EXPECTATIONS—TO OFFSET THIS AND INCREASE SALES DURING THE COMING MONTH,

## We Offer Special Inducements as Follows:

Figured China Silks at 37½c, reduced from 45c, a better grade at 52½c, former price 65c.

All Wool Imported Challies at 50c., sold everywhere at 60 and 65c.

Our line of Wash Dress Goods contains all the new and desirable things that are out this season. Fifty pieces Lawns and Challies, usually sold at 7½ and 8½c., only 5c. per yard.

An elegant line of Pongees and Tissues at 10c. per yard

See the new line of Lisle De Laine at 20c. per yard. They are exact copies of the French Challies, and are pronounced the handsomest things in Wash Goods that have been shown.

Check Nainsooks at 5c. per yard.

Plaid Indian Linen worth 12½c., at 8½c. per yard; a better grade at 10c., former price 15c. per yard.

## We Have Placed on Our Cheap Counters a Big Lot of Remnants of Cotton and Wool Dress Goods, Which We Offer at 50 Cents on the Dollar!

Plain India Linen at 8½, 10, 12½ and 15c.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests at 10, 15 and 25c

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers at 25, 35 and 50c

Silk Mitts, 25c. quality at 20c.; 35c. quality at 25c.

A big drive in Cottonades. Ten pieces nice styles in striped, usually sold at 25c., only 18c. per yard.

A full line of the celebrated E. & P. Cottonade at 20c., warranted fast colors; cheaper grades at 10, 12½ and 15c.

Colored Shirting Plaids at 5, 7½ and 8½c. per yard.

An elegant line of French Percate Shirtings, thirty-six inches, 12½c.

Beautiful quality seventy-two-inch Bleached Damask, usually sold at \$1.00 and \$1.25, at 75 and 85c. per yard.

# BROWNING & CO.,

51 West Second St.

### THE HARRIS KILLING.

#### Montjoy Released on \$1,500 Bail Evidence at the Examining Trial.

The examining trial of Lee Montjoy on charge of killing Harvey Harris, colored, came off yesterday before Judge Phister, and resulted in the accused being held to answer at the next term of the Circuit Court. His bail was fixed at \$1,500. He gave bond and was released. His attorneys are Whitaker & Robertson and Cochran & Sons.

Tom Souseley was the first witness to testify. He was at Lizzie Banyon's house the night of the killing. Shortly after he reached there Montjoy came in. In a little while Souseley and Jack Keys left and came down town. They returned later to the house. Montjoy was at the corner. Souseley left Keys and Montjoy there talking and went down to the rear of the house. Harris was there fixing his clothes. Souseley went to the door and was there talking when Montjoy fired. Heard Harris say: "Mister, please don't do that." Souseley called to Montjoy to "quit that foolishness." Witness didn't hear Harris say a word till after the first shot. Harris was standing with his back towards the door when he last saw him. After the shooting he went out and saw Harris lying on the street.

On the cross examination Souseley said he saw Montjoy when he came on the porch, and he stepped a few steps backward. He didn't hear Montjoy say before he shot, "don't you hit me again." Montjoy fired twice in quick succession. Montjoy followed Harris up the alley. Just as Souseley saw Harris fall, Montjoy came up and said: "I'm sorry I shot this man, but he struck at me with a club." From the porch gate to the door of Lizzie Banyon's room is six or seven steps. Witness saw no club around the place of the killing before or since.

Lizzie Robinson, sometimes called Banyon, said she heard no fuss. When first shot was fired she heard Harris say: "Oh, Mister, please don't do that," and then he cried: "Oh! Lordy! Lordy!"

Montjoy's account of the shooting was about the same as that he gave the BUTLERIN the morning after the killing. He saw some man in the alley and asked him a question. The man replied, calling him a "s—n of a b—h," and then struck him in the right side. The man then stooped to pick up a rock or club, and Montjoy fired as quick as he could. He didn't know who Harris was at the time.

There were several other witnesses, but the facts brought out did not differ materially from what has already been published.

#### Laborers Wanted.

The Maysville Fuel Company wants laborers. Apply next week at company's office, 203 Sutton street.

Rev. R. H. WIGHTMAN, of Sardis, will conduct the services for the Southern Methodists at the court house to-morrow night at 7:45 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. J. E. Wright, will be at Millersburg.

G. S. Judd, insurance and collection agency.

A. M. CAMPBELL, real-estate, loans and collections.

The convent property at Paris was sold this week for \$7,500.

The old settlers of Nicholas County will reunite at Carlisle June 15.

Rev. G. N. JOLLY will preach at the Third street M. E. Church to-night.

Mr. OLIVER's Sunday schools will give a union picnic at Blue Lick Springs June 10.

The Advance reports remarkable interest in church and religious matters at Mt. Olivet.

The recent grand jury at Owenton reported 102 indictments, 84 for violations of the liquor law.

To OBTAIN a perfect complexion use Pon-zo-ni-na Lotion. Pon-zo-ni-na Rouge, a natural tint. At John C. Pecor's.

The District Conference of the M. E. Church, South, for the Maysville district, will be held at Mt. Olivet, June 21-23.

The Mt. Olivet Advance says it is an actual fact that there is not "a confirmed beastly drunkard in Robertson County."

The Court of Appeals has affirmed the death sentence of Nelson Lewis, colored, of Jefferson County, for killing George Dean.

WM. H. GRAHAM has sold his farm of 568 acres near Lexington to Joseph Clark of that city, for \$106 an acre—about \$59,000.

JOHN W. EVANS, a well known farmer and tobacco dealer of Adams County, has been sent to the asylum. He attempted to kill his family during one of his crazy spells.

A JUBILEE service will be held this evening and to-morrow at the Mt. Olivet M. E. Church. Rev. Dr. Bickley, of Covington, and Presiding Elder Boring will conduct the services.

MURPHY, the jeweler, has made big reductions on ladies' and gent's gold watches and all other goods in his line. Prices guaranteed lower than any other house. Successor to Hopper & Murphy.

THE State has obtained judgment for \$5,000 back taxes against the estate of W. J. Hilton of Franklin, Ky. Hilton was an old miser, and the amount of his wealth was not known until after his death.

At Sharpsburg, C. B. Morford, editor of the Robertson Advance and Police Judge of Mt. Olivet, and Miss Pearl Kincer were married at the Baptist Church Wednesday morning, the Rev. Wallace Tharp, of Carlisle, officiating.

THE Democrats of the Brown-Clermont, Adams Judicial district will nominate a candidate for Judge Saturday, June 25, at Georgetown. Brown County is entitled to 36 delegates, Adams to 25 and Clermont to 38. Judge Frank Davis will have a walk-over for renomination.

Spring hats—Nelson's.

Window glass all sizes at Greenwood's.

CHEAPEST wall paper at Greenwood's.

FOR SALE—Thirty-two shares of First National Bank stock. Apply to George T. Hunter.

THE assessed value of property at Manchester is \$176,970, a slight increase over last year's figures.

OWING to a lack of storage capacity, Pogue's distillery has shut down. It will resume next October.

For elegant gold watches, go to Ballenger, the jeweler. Correct time-keepers. Best made. Prices as low as the lowest.

MAJOR JOHN C. BRENT, Cashier of the Citizens' Bank of Paris, died Thursday night. He was stricken with paralysis last fall.

THE Maysville Orchestra furnished music for the banquet given last night by Breckinridge Commandery, K. T., of Flemingsburg.

MISS MARY McCANN, aged eighty-five, died at Paris Thursday. She was an aunt of Admiral Wm. P. McCann of the United States Navy.

PENSION ATTORNEY JOHN WALSH has been out in Mason and Fleming with Special Examiner Samuel Woods attending to some business.

CHARLES A. PALMER, a prominent attorney of Washington C. H., O., has been disbarred for collecting money from clients and appropriating it to his own use.

JAMES K. GREENLEE, one of the workmen engaged in tearing down the Russell building, was struck by a falling brick yesterday and received a painful wound on his head.

MR. J. C. MORRISON, formerly of this city, will wed Miss Bertie Butler, of Paris, June 7. The bride-to-be is a sister of his first wife, who died a few years since. Mr. Morrison's home at present is at Charleston, W. Va.

WILLIAM LIGGETT, who was arrested at Ripley last week under suspicion of being implicated with "Blue Shovel" Morris in some of his recent thieving excursions, has entered suit against Marshal John Thompson of that place for \$10,000 damages for false arrest.

It is hardly necessary to call your attention to Browning & Co.'s advertisement. The firm is offering special inducements in dry goods, and if you are needing anything in their line don't fail to call on them. A big lot of remnants at 60 cents on the dollar.

On account of the absence of Rev. B. W. Mebane there will be no morning service at the Central Presbyterian Church to-morrow, but Rev. Martin Luther will preach in the evening at 8 o'clock. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. All cordially invited.

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Tinware, Tin-Roofing, Guttering and Spouting.

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WANTED—Middle-aged lady for house-keeper in a small family. Apply at this office.

WE offer agents big money, in exclusive territory. Our new patent safes sell at sight in city or country. New agent first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day cleared \$86. So can you. Catalogue free. ALPINE SAFECO., No. 303-371 Clark street, Cincinnati, O.

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WANTED—An energetic man to manage branch office; only a few dollars needed; salary to start, \$75 per month and interest in the business. THE WESTERN COMPANY, Kansas City, Mo. a29dtf

#### FOR SALE!

## Wreck of the Barn

Destroyed by the late wind storm on Mrs. Julia Morgan's farm near Washington. Will be sold at public auction.

SATURDAY, MAY 28th.

Sale on the premises at 2 p. m. Terms: All sums of \$5 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of three months. Notes required with good security. The sale will be made by the Farmers' Home Mutual Aid Association. JAMES B. KEY, President.



## FROM WASHINGTON.

News Gathered from the National Capital.

### PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

**The House Passes the Sundry Civil Bill and Takes Up the Postoffice Appropriation Bill—But Little Done in the Senate. Agricultural Appropriations—Other Items.**

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The sundry civil bill was finally passed in the house yesterday. Mr. Forney's (Democrat, of Alabama) amendment requiring the retention of all pension money in excess of \$5 per month, received by inmates of soldiers' homes, to the support thereof, was rejected. The appropriation of \$625,000 for the Philadelphia mint building was retained in the bill.

The house then proceeded with the consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill, the motion of Mr. Hatch to take up the anti-option bill being defeated by a tie vote. After one hour's debate on the postoffice bill the house took a recess until 8 o'clock in the evening.

At the night session pension matters were discussed, and without action on any bill the house at 10 o'clock adjourned.

Only a very brief discussion was had on the silver bill in the senate yesterday. Mr. Sherman, who wished to take the floor in opposition to the bill, stated that he was not ready to go on now, as he had not received some information he had asked for from the treasury. The silver men manifested a disposition to press a vote as speedily as possible, but agreed that the bill be informally laid aside until Tuesday. This was done after Mr. Stewart had amended the bill by striking out the appropriation so as to avoid the danger (in the event of its passing the senate) of its being remitted to the house calendar.

### AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATION.

**The Bill Just Completed in Excess of That of Last Year.**

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The agricultural appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, just completed by the house committee on agriculture, carries appropriations of \$507,500 in excess of the bill of last year. The principal increase is in the appropriation of \$500,000 to carry out the provisions of the meat inspection law, the entire amount allowed being \$15,000,000. For investigations on the subject of forestry and for continuing the rainfall experiments in arid sections \$20,000 is allowed, an increase of \$5,000.

The weather bureau is allowed \$6,000 additional and an item of \$130,000, an increase of \$30,000, is allowed for the distribution of seeds in agricultural districts. To enable the secretary of agriculture to continue investigations concerning the feasibility of extending the demands of foreign markets for agricultural products in the United States, \$5,000 is allowed, an increase of \$2,500. The decrease aggregates \$37,000, itemized as follows: For botanical investigations by \$15,000; for entomological investigations by \$10,000; for fibre investigations by \$5,000; for furniture and repairs \$2,000, and for sugar experiments by \$5,000.

### Letter Carriers' Pay.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The committee on postoffices and post roads has ordered Mr. Patterson, of Ohio, to report favorably to the house the bill introduced by Mr. Cummings, of New York, to increase and equalize the pay of letter carriers. The bill provides that the pay of letter carriers in free delivery cities for the first year of service shall be \$600; for the second year of service \$600; for the third year of service \$1,000; for the fourth year of service and thereafter the pay of letter carriers \$1,200.

### General Alger's Position.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—It is stated that, as a result of the Alger controversy Thursday night, General Alger's friends will no longer urge his candidacy for president or vice president, but will lend all their energies to help the "Blaine and Rusk" ticket, with the understanding that General Alger will be secretary of war if the ticket is elected.

### PAPER MILL BOILER EXPLODES.

**One Man Killed, Another Fatally and Several Others Seriously Injured.**

CARROLLTON, O., May 28.—An explosion occurred at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning in the pulp mill connected with the Friend paper mills. It was heard for miles around. The building was almost totally demolished, and fragments of the wreckage were scattered all over the village.

Emery Blood, of Lawrence, Mass., the foreman of the mill, was killed outright, his body being frightfully torn and mangled.

Superintendent Stebbins, of Carrollton, was dangerously and several others slightly injured, but it is not thought that any further fatalities will result.

The explosion was caused by lack of water in an overheated boiler.

Blood was at work on the third floor of the building when the explosion occurred. He was blown one hundred yards away, and when his body was picked up it could scarcely be recognized. It was horribly mangled.

Stebbins was at work outside and was caught by a falling wall. He was terribly crushed and can not recover.

The explosion occurred in one of the pulp tubs. It was eleven feet in diameter and forty feet high. Pieces were blown a mile away and bricks and pieces of timber from the wrecked building were hurled further.

All the telegraph and telephone wires were blown down, and the town bears the appearance of having been struck by a cyclone. The other workmen who were injured were struck by splinters, but, save Blood and Stebbins, all escaped with a few slight bruises.

### Building a New Railroad.

MOORE'S HILL, Ind., May 28.—Four times have the civil engineers traced the survey of the new railroad from Richmond to Harrison.

### THE HERO OF LIBBY PRISON.

**Death of General A. D. Straight at His Home Near Indianapolis.**

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.—General A. D. Straight, one of the best known of Indiana's soldiers, died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at his country home, east of the city, at Tuxedo, on the Irvington line. Had he lived until the 17th of June, he would have completed his sixty-fourth year. His death was hourly expected during the night; and from midnight on he lay in a comatose state. His end was peaceful and painless. He simply went to sleep. At 3 o'clock Mrs. Straight came down stairs into the general's room and exclaimed, "Why he is dead!" To all appearances he was, and the grief-stricken family believed the end had already come. But later the general breathed and life was probably not extinct until 3:45 or 4 o'clock.

### Biographical.

Abdel D. Straight was born in Wheeler, N. Y., June 17, 1829. When seventeen years old he bought his time of his father and left home. For many years he worked at the carpenter's bench, and later engaged in the book publishing business. He came west in 1853, and lived a short time in Cincinnati, and thence came to Indiana. At the request of Governor Morton he recruited the Fifty-first regiment of Indiana volunteers. He was commissioned colonel of this regiment in 1861. In December the regiment reported to General Buell, of Louisville, was attached to the Army of the Cumberland. Colonel Straight's command became prisoners of war, the officers were sent to Richmond, Va., and committed to Libby prison. By reason of his having led the raid into the enemy's country Colonel Straight became the object of special hate by the rebels. He was ironed, confined in a dungeon and forced to subsist on corn bread and water for thirty days for attempting to escape. Soon after his release from the dungeon he planned the memorable and historic scheme for escape by which 108 officers secured their freedom. After a brief rest Colonel Straight returned to the service and took command of his old regiment. After the battle of Nashville he was made brigadier general by President Lincoln. General Straight resigned in the army with the close, and then returned to this city where he re-entered the publishing business. Later he engaged in the wholesale lumber and chair manufacturing business, and for many years has been one of the largest dealers in the west. General Straight has always been a Republican in politics and was a candidate for governor in 1876, but was defeated by Albert G. Porter, now United States minister to Rome.

### UNITED PRESBYTERIANS.

**Delays of the General Assembly at Pittsburgh.**

PITTSBURGH, May 28.—The morning session of the United Presbyterian general assembly opened with a brief prayer by the moderator. The reports of permanent committees were first in order and the report of the committee on reforms was the first heard. The report indicates an endorsement of Dr. Parkhurst's methods.

The report of the Women's Central Missionary society for the year shows a large increase in membership and total contributions of \$52,643. At the conclusion of the reports the docket was taken up, and discussion of the report of the committee on federation of churches followed. The request for the continuance of the committee met with some opposition.

### The Briggs Case.

PORTLAND, O., May 28.—The Briggs case occupied almost the entire time of the sessions of the Presbyterian general assembly yesterday, the discussion being upon technical points as to the mode of procedure, or whether or not the case should be remanded to the New York presbytery for further consideration.

The moderator finally ruled that the hearing of the case must proceed. L. Briggs then began the argument in his behalf and had not concluded when the hour of the adjournment arrived.

### Late His Prison Garb Alike.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., May 28.—Warden Patton received an unconditional pardon from Governor Chase for Arthur Bisot yesterday morning, and soon after Bisot laid aside his prison garb and reclothed himself as a citizen. He declined to talk of his sixteen years' absence as a fugitive, saying that he did not wish the world to know where he had been, nor whence he came. He had \$30 and a gold watch when he surrendered, and on his release he was given \$15 additional, allowed by the state. He left for Louisville, saying he would go at once to Bedford. His citizen's clothing indicated that his dress suit was made by the London Tailoring company, of Salt Lake City, and the fine spring overcoat by a Boston firm.

### Sensational Scene in Court.

DES MOINES, May 28.—A sensational scene occurred in the federal court yesterday. Thursday night a jury acquitted John C. Newton, president of the Des Moines and Kansas City railway, of conspiracy to defraud the government. Newton immediately banqueted the jury at Saverie hotel. Yesterday morning Judge Woolson reprimanded Newton, broadly intimating that if he had the power, he would again put him on trial, and that if he had anticipated such conduct, he would have set the verdict aside. He then dishonorably discharged the entire jury from any further connection with the federal courts.

### Run Down by an Enraged Bull.

EAST LYNN, Mo., May 28.—William Purcell and his little six-year-old boy were run down by an enraged bull yesterday, and both received such injuries that they will die. The boy was gored and torn about the neck and head in a terrible manner while Purcell was torn about the abdomen, his bowels protruding from the wound.

### Suffocated in a Hotel Fire.

BOSTON, May 28.—A fire broke out about 2 o'clock yesterday morning in the upper part of the Hotel Royal, a cheap lodging house at 143 Court street. The fire was quickly subdued by the department, but not before John Quinn had been suffocated and several others overcome by smoke or burned.



### ONE ENJOYS

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